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HAUGE, GABRIEL: Records, 1952-58

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Linear feet shelf space occupied: -1  
Approximate number of pages: 1600  
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## SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The Records of Gabriel Hauge, Assistant to the President for Economic Affairs, 1953-1958, span the years 1952-1958. The records pertain primarily to Hauge's role as economic adviser to the President.

Approximately eighty per cent of the collection consists of memoranda and letters from Hauge to the President, Cabinet members, members of the White House staff, the President's personal secretary (Ann Whitman), and the general public. Among the more significant segments of the correspondence are those addressed to President Eisenhower, Ann Whitman, The Assistant to the President Sherman Adams, Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson, Secretary of the Treasury George Humphrey, and Press Secretary James Hagerty. The correspondence covers a wide range of economic issues. Major subjects treated are agriculture, international trade, foreign economic policy, and Hauge's views on fundamental economic questions. Under the broad category of agriculture, the issues of agricultural surplus disposal, agricultural exports policy, price supports, and the formulation and administration of Department of Agriculture policies and programs are predominant. Other issues dealt with are defense spending, taxation, and the selection of personnel for administrative posts and committees.

Approximately ten percent of the records consists of mimeographed reports prepared for the Fifth International Conference sponsored by the Congress for Cultural Freedom, held in Milan, Italy, September 12-17, 1955. The basic theme of the reports is freedom versus totalitarianism. Within the framework of this theme, the reports deal with such subjects as the relative merits of capitalism and communism as systems for developing the economies of "Third World" nations, democratic control of foreign policy, and the nature of the Soviet system. Among the prominent social scientists who prepared the reports were Hannah Arendt, Raymond Aron, Daniel Bell, Colin Clark, Merle Fainsod, John Kenneth Galbraith, Sidney Hook, Seymour Martin Lipset, and Arthur Schlesinger, Jr.

The remainder of the collection consists of mimeographed copies of speeches prepared in 1958 by economists, other social scientists, and government officials for the Committee for Economic Development. The speeches were addressed to the question: What will be the overriding economic problems facing the United States during the next twenty years? The various topics covered by the speeches include inflation, foreign aid, urban problems, allocation of resources, population growth and its consequences to the environment, and the international trade. Some of the more prominent individuals who prepared speeches were Kenneth Boulding, Colin Clark, Peter F. Drucker, Milton Friedman, John Kenneth Galbraith, Luther Gulick, F. A. Von Hayek, Neil H. Jacoby, Hans Morgenthau, Lester B. Pearson, Clarence B. Randall, and David Riesman.

## BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

1914, Mar. 7	Born in Hawley, Minnesota
1935	B. A., Concordia College (Minnesota)
1938	M. A., Harvard University
1938-40	Instructor in economics, Harvard University
1939	Senior Statistician, Federal Reserve Bank of New York
1940-42	Instructor in economics, Princeton University
1942-46	Served in U. S. Navy Reserve
1947	Ph. D., Harvard University
1947-50	Chief, Division of Research and Statistics, New York State Banking Department
1950-52	Assistant chairman, executive committee, McGraw-Hill Publishing Company
1951-52	Research Director, Citizens for Eisenhower
1952	Research Director, personal campaign staff of Dwight D. Eisenhower
1953-56	Administrative Assistant to the President of the United States for Economic Affairs
1956-58	Special Assistant to the President of the United States for Economic Affairs
1959	Trust company executive, corporate director

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| 1-2 | Reports, September 12-17, 1955. Less than one container. Forty-seven reports. Reports of the Fifth International Conference sponsored by the Congress for Cultural Freedom, Milan, Italy. Arranged by handwritten number.  |
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|   | [Clarence Francis, Special Assistant to the President for Agricultural Surplus Disposal]            |
|   | [Homer Gruenther, Assistant to the Deputy Assistant to the President]                               |
|   | [James Hagerty, Press Secretary]  |
|   | [Bryce Harlow, Deputy Assistant to the President]   |
|   | [Emmet J. Hughes, Administrative Assistant to the President]  |
|   | [I. Jack Martin, Administrative Assistant to the President]   |
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[Fred Seaton, Special Assistant to the President, Secretary of Interior]  
[Bernard Shanley, Special Counsel, Appointments Secretary to the President]  
[Murray Snyder, Assistant Press Secretary]  
[Thomas Stephens, Special Counsel, Appointments Secretary to the President]  
[Charles F. Willis, Assistant to the Assistant to the President]  
[General Correspondence: A-Y, 1953-56]

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